

Historic, Archive Document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

JUL 10 1939

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Sugar Division
Washington, D. C.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS AND DESIGNATION OF PRESIDING OFFICERS

Wage Rates for Persons Employed in Mainland Cane Sugar Area

Pursuant to the authority contained in subsections (b) and (d) of Section 301 of the Sugar Act of 1937 (Public No. 414, 75th Congress),

Notice is hereby given that public hearings will be held as follows:

At Baton Rouge, Louisiana, in the Agricultural Auditorium, Louisiana State University and A. & M. College on June 13, 1939, at 1:00 p.m.

At New Iberia, Louisiana, in the Court Room, Parish Court House, on June 15, 1939, at 9:30 a.m.

At New Orleans, Louisiana, in Room 301, Association of Commerce Building, on June 16, 1939, at 9:30 a.m.

At Clewiston, Florida, in the Clewiston Public School Auditorium, on June 28, 1939, at 9:00 a.m.

The purpose of such hearings is to receive evidence likely to be of assistance to the Secretary of Agriculture in determining, (1) pursuant to the provisions of subsection (b) of section 301 of the said act, fair and reasonable wage rates for persons employed in the mainland cane sugar area in the harvesting of sugarcane during the period from September 1, 1939, to June 30, 1940, and the planting and cultivating of sugarcane during the calendar year 1940, on farms with respect to which applications for payment under the said act are made; and (2) pursuant to the provisions of subsection (d) of section 301 of the said act, fair and reasonable prices for the 1939 crop of sugarcane to be paid by processors who, as producers, apply for payments under the said act.

John C. Bagwell, Haskell Donoho, G. LaGuardia, Charles M. Nicholson and Otis E. Mulliken are hereby designated as presiding officers to conduct, either jointly or severally, the foregoing hearings.

[SEAL]

Done at Washington, D. C.
this 3rd day of June 1939. Witness
my hand and the seal of the Department
of Agriculture.

/s/ H. A. Wallace
Secretary of Agriculture.

